ABSTRACT OF DISCLOSURE

An optical recording medium copying apparatus and method provides applying power to two compact disc rewritable (CDRW) drives and copying data recorded on a first optical recording medium in one of the CDRW drives to a second optical recording medium in the other CDRW drive, without a PC system or a recording application program. A transmitting optical recording medium drive transmits data recorded on the first optical recording medium when both a predetermined power and a copying signal are applied to the transmitting drive. A receiving optical recording medium drive receives the data from the transmitting drive when both a predetermined power and a copying signal are applied to the receiving drive, and records the received data on the first optical recording medium. Communication lines between the transmitting and receiving drives are used to transmit data recorded on the first optical recording medium to the second optical recording medium.